

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Banning Lary, MD  
For : **EXPANDABLE ELEVATING BOLSTER FOR  
LEGS AND BACK**  
Our File No. : 1859.002

**AFFIDAVIT**

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

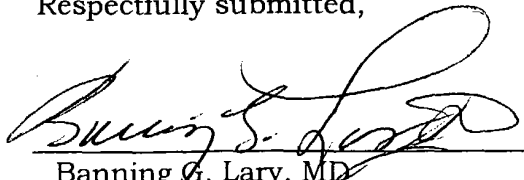
Dear Sir:

I, Banning Lary, swear and attest that I am an Inventor of the invention described in the U.S. Patent Application identified above, entitled *EXPANDABLE ELEVATING BOLSTER FOR LEGS AND BACK*, filed herewith, and that I am over sixty-four (64) years of age. I am submitting this affidavit in order that the patent application may be made special by the Commissioner of Patents.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: June 23, 2003

  
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